

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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First Named Inventor : Orlaw MASSLER
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Customer No. : 23911

Title : Dlc Coating System and Process and Apparatus for Making
Coating System

Request for Reconsideration

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

The following remarks are respectfully submitted in response to the Office Action dated April 3, 3007. **An extension of the deadline for response to the Office Action is respectfully requested pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) and the appropriate fee is submitted herewith.**